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### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Please find enclosed for filing:

Petition for 3 months extension of time

Transmittal Letter. Please charge the fee for 3 months extension of time (\$475) to Deposit Account No. 04-1679, and any additional fees that may be required in

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to extend the time for submission of a response to the Official Action under 35 U.S.C. 371, mailed February 23, 2004. Accordingly, a three-month extension of time to file the Response is requested extending the time for response from May 23, 2004, to August 23, 2004.

The Commissioner for Patents is authorized to charge the amount of the fee, namely \$475, and charge any additional fees required, in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 04-1679.

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